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TO AMEMBASSY VALLETTA

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SUBJECT: REPLY TO CONGRATULATIONS

1. EMBASSY SHOULD DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT MAMO. BEGIN TEXT: "DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS ON THE OCCASION OF OUR ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD" END TEXT.
2. FYI: THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE WAS AS FOLLOWS: "THE PRIME MINISTER THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF MALTA UNITE WITH ME IN EXTENDING TO YOU MR. PRESIDENT AND THE PEOPLE OF THE USA OUR FELICITATIONS AND BEST WISHES ON THE OCCASION OF INDEPENDENCE DAY. ANTHONY J. MAMO PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF MALTA." END MESSAGE.
3. NEITHER DEPARTMENT NOR WHITE HOUSE PLANS TO RELEASE TEXT OF REPLY BUT HAVE NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY GOM. KISSINGER

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